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PATENT
0020-4699P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kazunari YOSHIDA et al. Conf.: 2420

Appl. No.: 09/551,871 Group: 3711

Filed: April 18, 2000 Examiner: A. HUNTER

For: MULTI-PIECE SOLID GOLF BALL

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FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 2, 2005

Sir:

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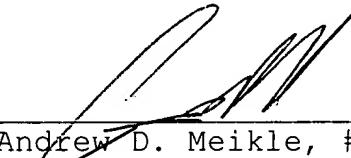
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Respectfully submitted,

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In reply to the Office Action dated November 2, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks.

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